

**CITY OF LEXINGTON VA**  
**UTILITY RATES, FEES, & CHARGES**

Effective: 07/01/14

**City Code Sections 403-27 and 403-42.**

**(per c.f.)**

**Inside City Limits**

| <u>Tiers</u>    | <u>Water</u> | <u>Sewer</u> | <u>Combined</u> |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 0 - 2,500       | 0.0321       | 0.0759       | 0.1080          |
| 2,501 - 5,000   | 0.0423       | 0.0988       | 0.1411          |
| 5,001 - 10,000  | 0.0479       | 0.1112       | 0.1591          |
| 10,001 - 15,000 | 0.0538       | 0.1230       | 0.1768          |
| 15,001 - 25,000 | 0.0638       | 0.1485       | 0.2123          |
| 25,001 - 50,000 | 0.0713       | 0.1666       | 0.2379          |
| 50,001 - & over | 0.0742       | 0.1731       | 0.2473          |

**Outside City Limits**

| <u>Tiers</u>    | <u>Water</u> | <u>Sewer</u> | <u>Combined</u> |
|-----------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 0 - 2,500       | 0.0385       | 0.0759       | 0.1144          |
| 2,501 - 5,000   | 0.0508       | 0.0988       | 0.1496          |
| 5,001 - 10,000  | 0.0575       | 0.1112       | 0.1687          |
| 10,001 - 15,000 | 0.0646       | 0.1230       | 0.1876          |
| 15,001 - 25,000 | 0.0766       | 0.1485       | 0.2251          |
| 25,001 - 50,000 | 0.0856       | 0.1666       | 0.2522          |
| 50,001 - & over | 0.0890       | 0.1731       | 0.2621          |

**Non-Profit Corporation - Low to Moderate Income Housing**

|                            | <u>Water</u> | <u>Sewer</u> | <u>Combined</u> |
|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|
| <b><u>Uniform Rate</u></b> | 0.0321       | 0.0759       | 0.1080          |

**Minimum Charges for Water & Sewer Services.**

Regardless of the amount of water passing through the water meter, customers will be charged with a minimum of 400 cubic feet per billing period for both water and sewer service.

**Water Customers Outside City Limits.**

All consumers of City water outside the City shall pay 20% more than metered City water rates.

**Customers without City Water.**

**Amount**                      \$113.85

A sewer service charge equal to a consumption of 1,500 cubic feet shall be made on all premises having a sewer connection with the City system and not using City water.

**Water & Sewer Service Connection Charges**

|                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b><u>Water</u></b> | <b><u>Sewer</u></b> |
| \$1,000             | \$1,000             |

Code Section 403-13, service connection charges shall be above amount or actual cost for each, whichever is greater.

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**Deposit for Water and Sewer Service**

**Amount**                      \$50.00

Code Section 403-12. A deposit in this amount is required of all tenants in residential or commercial properties.

**Utility Service Fee**

**Amount**                      \$20.00

Code Section 403-14. This fee is for establishing a new service account or if an existing service is being transferred to a new customer name.

**Penalty for Nonpayment of Utility Bill**

**Amount**                      \$5.00 or 1.5% of balance due,  
whichever is greater.

Code Section 403-16. Applies to bills unpaid at the close of business on the 25th day of the month in which payment is due.

**Discontinuance of Water Service for Nonpayment of Utility Bills**

**Amount**                      \$20.00

Code Section 403-17. Administrative service charge assessed to customers who are delinquent in payment of utility bills.

**Testing Meter**

**Amount**                      \$15.00

Code Section 403-26. A service charge assessed to ascertain the accuracy of a meter reading when requested by a customer. This amount to be refunded to the customer if the test determines the original reading to be incorrect.